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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
 THROUGH : Deputy Director for Intelligence
 SUBJECT : Approval to Approach Prospective Consultant

1. Problem:

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25X1 To have approved an informal approach by OMR to [redacted] for the purpose of exploring the possibility of obtaining his services as a member of the OMR Petroleum Advisory Panel.

2. Discussion:

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The organizational plan for the Petroleum Advisory Panel calls for six (6) members of which four (4) are now serving the Agency. Consideration is being given to the selection of additional members to balance the experience represented by the group. After consultation with [redacted] Panel Chairman, it has been agreed that [redacted] would be an excellent choice to advise on problems pertaining to the requirements, consumption and distribution question. [redacted] is in charge of a sizable staff engaged in work on market forecasts, stocks, and programming of production for [redacted] and has worked with [redacted] on committees advising the government, i.e., Military Petroleum Advisory Board.

It is anticipated that OMR will employ the services of [redacted] along with other members of the panel on the average of one day approval received.

3. Recommendation:

25X1 It is recommended that approval be given to OMR contacting [redacted] and if acceptable initiating the necessary personnel action.

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 NO DRAFTING CHARGE.

PLEASANT
 DATE OF APPROVAL: 02/01

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 APPROVAL SIGNATURE: [Redacted]

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